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Pheasants Released At Lac La Biche

Lac La Biche Curling Club Seeks Share Of Grant For New Ice Rink

LAC LA BICHE — At the regular council meeting held May 10 the secretary made the announcement that the town census had just been completed and the population now stands at 1213, which is an increase of 86 over the count taken a year ago.

Part of the increase is due to the fact that an area lying to the west of the town was annexed on December 30, 1959, but without taking this into account the increase would still have amounted to about 40 persons.

A delegation headed by Stan Powers and representing the Lac la Biche Curling Club, interviewed council to present a plan for a new curling rink with four sheets of ice. They asked that council consider allotting a portion of the recreational grant which the province is making to the town, toward the project they had in mind. A plan of a proposed building was examined which had been prepared by experts in the business and which was estimated to cost about $20,000. The spokesman explained that the Club ordinarily handled its own financing without assistance, but in facing a program of this kind some assistance from the town would be greatly appreciated. The council agreed to give the question due consideration when the matter of appropriating the recreational grant funds is dealt with. Before leaving, the delegation urged that the matter of dealing with the recreational grant in general be completed as soon as possible in order that whatever use is made of the funds may be started without undue delay so that the town may begin to reap the benefits.

A building permit was approved for the Christian's Evangelical Faith of Canada for a church building, the estimated cost to be $8,000.

A permit was approved for a new dwelling estimated to cost $12,000.

Another permit was issued for an addition to a dwelling, estimated to cost $4,000.

One permit was for a private garage to cost $300.

A report recommending a comprehensive plan for traffic control in the town was approved, and the secretary was instructed to prepare a by-law covering the regulations contained in the report.

A letter was read from the local chamber of commerce asking that the town take whatever action is necessary to stop the speeding on town streets before serious injuries result. The matter was discussed and offenders will doubtless find themselves in trouble when they fail to observe the law in this regard.

As there were several matters of business which could not be dealt with at the meeting due to lack of certain information, and as the meeting lasted till nearly midnight, the meeting adjourned till Tuesday, May 17 at 8:00 p.m. when a heavy agenda is likely to be waiting.

Lac la Biche

Mrs. Area LaRose of Edmonton was a weekend visitor at Mrs. Irma Bosse's home.

Mr. and Mrs. Camile Dionne and family of Barrhead were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alex Bourassa.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bouvier and Wilfrid Bourassa are back from California where they spent the winter.

Unseasonable Snow Disrupts Activities

GRASSLAND — Last week's unseasonable snow storm caused a great deal of interruption to business in the district. Farming operations came to a standstill, traffic on highway 46 was almost completely stopped due to the highway being in need of re-building, and telephone service was disrupted for a time but communication was restored by noon Saturday.

Lac la Biche Mission

Mrs. J. L. Tardif has gone to Lac la Biche Hospital for medical treatment.

Henri Beaudoin of Vimy was a recent visitor in the district.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Germain of Plamondon were business visitors here.

Alfred Ladouceur and E. Tremblay have gone to Blue Jay where they have obtained employment.

Mr. and Mrs. Edmond Ulliac of Gourin and Mrs. Gauthier were recent business visitors here.

H. Buchnel went to Normandeau last week.

Louis Cloutier built a new boat in preparation for the May 16 opening of the lake to fishers of white fish.

Mrs. A. Beaudoin was a recent business visitor in Edmonton.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Alexander from Boyle were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Marcel Tremlay.

Grades 5, 6 and 7 have moved into the new modern school.

Rev. Fr. Levert has remodelled a few rooms in the rectory.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Dixon and little daughter Louise of McMurray have taken up residence in the Sorochan house on the south side of town.

Mrs. Marshall Hamar has returned from the General Hospital, Edmonton, after undergoing surgery on her arm, fractured in a fall last October.

Miss Marilyn McMillan is now apprentice in a drug store in Edmonton.

Fish & Game Association Asks That Hunters Refrain From Killing Birds

At the recent meeting of the Lac la Biche Fish and Game Association the members heard a report on the progress of the pheasants released about a month ago.

One hundred and fifty birds were released at eight or nine locations from Brierville to Wandering River and so far they seem to be taking to the country fairly well. Farmers in the areas are keeping a watchful eye on these colorful game birds and will report on the progress of nesting and hatching of the young birds.

The pheasants were obtained a year ago as started chicks from the University of Alberta for experimental purposes. They were raised by Duane Kerick of the Fish and Game Branch and released early this spring. A few casualties have been reported, as the birds have a tendency to wander onto the roads and highways to sun themselves and pick up grit and grain. They have little fear of an approaching vehicle, which sometimes cannot avoid striking hem.

Alhough there are no restrictions on shooting the birds in the hunting season, hunters are being asked to refrain from shooting them in this area for a few years until they have a chance to increase The Fish and Game Association is making plans to procure some 400 chicks soon, with the intention to release them in this area in the fall.

Historic Site Found In Pakan District

An account of the recent discovery of the Woolsey Mission Site of 1861 near Pakan, Alberta, is printed in this week's issue of Alberta Country Life. Henry J. Thompson of McRae, a Progressive Conservative candidate for Lac la Biche provincial riding last year, was assisted in the search by Frank Mitchell of Pakan and the Carson brothers at Warspite, and other helpful district residents.

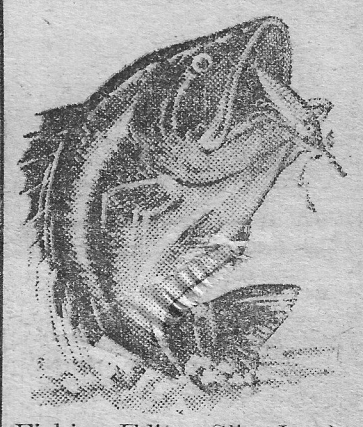
Wandering River

Mrs. Olga Zubko has returned to the farm for the summer after spending the winter in Edmonton.

Many district teenagers attended the CJCA platter party which was held recently in Grassland.

Mr. and Mrs. Armen Dupre recently motored to Saskatchewan on business.

Where To Fish in Lac La Biche



Fishing Editor Slim Layley reports on fishing and camping prospects in the Lac La Biche district on the special page . . .

IN THIS WEEK'S

Alberta Country Life

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IN THIS ISSUE, a number of toasts and replies given at the Dr. Swift High School graduation class exercises, are printed in this issue of the Lac la Biche Herald. A number of other items in connection with the graduation will be carried next week. The above picture taken by Semitone Studios in Boyle shows the following: Back row—David Hainila, Eugene Lebas, Donald Gordon, Morris Linnell, Lawrence Meardi, James Rowland, Metro Rosa, Robert Cherkas; Second row—Leola Thompson, Jean Kupchanko, Aurla Price, Elinor Sunderman, Clara Munawich, Phyllis Kozak, Lyn Watamaniuk; Front row—Helen Mischuk, Celine Parent, Doris Bergheim, Josephine Fornari; Staff—H. Senetza, vice-principal; Mrs. P. Hayduk; F. McMillan, principal; Mrs. J. Cunningham; N. A. Chodan.

Car & Panel Truck Collide On Highway

A late model car and a panel truck both received extensive damage in a collision on Highway 46, just out of Lac la Biche near the Venice corner recently. According to report, the car was following behind the panel when the driver of the first vehicle attempted to make a left turn without a proper signal. The car was unable to stop in time to avoid colliding with the first vehicle.

A passenger in the truck was bruised and badly shaken up but both drivers escaped injury. Police are investigating the accident.

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People who hurry through this life meet death that much earlier.

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'Maytime In Alberta' Presented To Enthusiastic Lac La Biche Audience

LAC LA BICHE — "Maytime in Alberta" was presented by the University of Alberta Mixed Chorus in the Memorial Hall, Lac la Biche, May 13.

The 1960 spring tour was the 13th annual tour and the fifth Maytime in Alberta made by the mixed chorus.

The group of 45 girls and 21 boys, accompanied by Professor and Mrs. Eaton, completed a two week's tour which took them through the Peace River district as far as Dawson Creek and Fort St. John to the west and Manning to the north. The performance in Lac la Biche was the last in this year's tour. This was the 13th stop as well as seven school concerts in which they sang to some 2500 students. In spite of a sudden drastic change in the weather, an appreciative audience enjoyed two hours of excellent music.

The numbers rendered by the chorus were interspersed with piano solos by two of the university students. A varied program, consisting of a chorals, folk songs, Negro spirituals and songs of the sea, offered by the young choristers was enthusiastically received by the listeners.

Professor Richard Eaton, conductor of the chorus, has been travelling with them each spring since 1948. Miss Lynn Newcombe of Edmonton was accompanist on the tour, with Miss June Daley of Calgary her assistant. President of the chorus was Marlin Moore, Grande Prairie, and business manager is Sinclair Young of Calgary.

E. J. Woynarowich, president of the Lac la Biche Lion's Club who were co-sponsors for the chorus here, thanked the group for the fine entertainment they had provided for the evening. Mrs. F. Creighton, president of the Women's Institute, also expressed appreciation for the musical treat and thanked the people for opening their homes to billet the 66 members of the chorus. Lunch was served by members of the Women's Institute and others.

Since their tour was at an end, as was their custom, the members of the chorus enjoyed a time of fun and entertainment among themselves with a number of improvised songs and skits and presentation of gifts to members of the cast, including Professor Eaton and Mrs. Eaton, and also to the faithful bus drivers.

Many expressed the hope that they might be able to return for another performance in the near future.

The members of the WI who undertook to billet the students are deeply grateful to the residents of the town for opening their homes for meals and beds. The billeting committee, consisting of Mrs. F. McMillan, chairman; Mrs. J. Booker, Mrs. L. Badry, Mrs. S. Hamar and Mrs. E. J. Woynarowich, was pleased with the wholehearted cooperation it received when the town was canvassed.

The Lions' Club arranged extra stage room in the hall, managed the business end of the program and provided cars to and from the homes both Friday evening and again Saturday morning when the group departed by chartered bus.

It has been said before, but might bear repeating, "Lac la Biche has done it again."

Grassland

Mr. and Mrs. Orest Luchka were visitors to Edmonton.

Owing to a convention of the elementary teachers there was no school for grades 1 to 6 on Friday.

Mrs. Postoluk is back at the home of the Derko family.

Miss Nadia Medwid and Rostyk Sadownik are back home after attending the University of Alberta.

Mary Hatherington is back assisting Mrs. Isaac.

Owing to the state of the roads, attendance at the Grassland school was poor on Friday.

A shower for the new baby was held at the home of Mrs. Mellot recently.

The Grassland 4-H Club of 12 members is successful in their work, and will have their achievement day on May 27.

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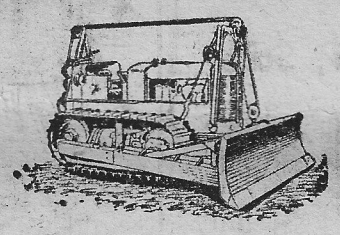

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Plans, specifications and tender forms may be obtained from the Secretary-Treasurer at his office in Athabasca, on deposit of $10.00 per set. The deposit will be redeemable upon return of the plans and specifications in good condition together with a bona-fide tender or upon their return in good condition prior to the closing date for tenders.

Tenders shall be accompanied by a Bid Bond equal to 5% of the tender. The successful tenderer will be required to provide a Performance and Maintenance Bond equal to 35% of the contract.

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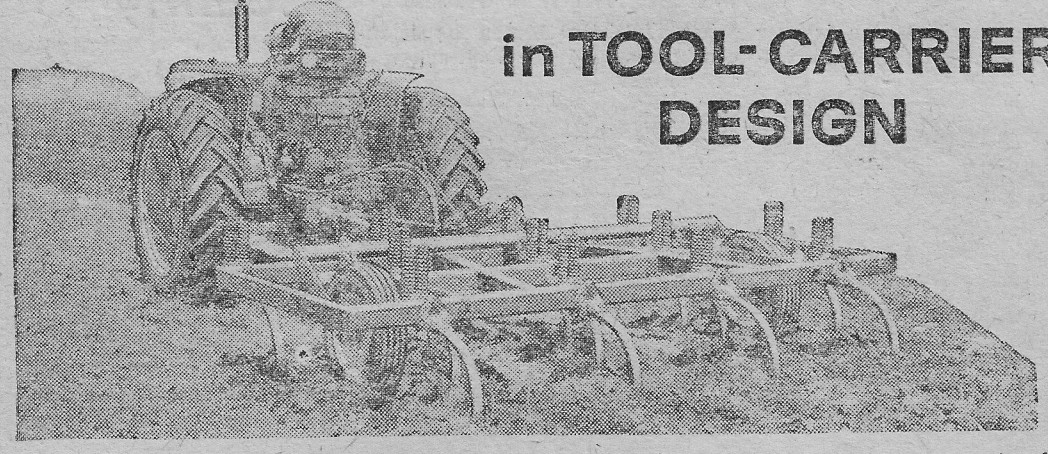

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The bride, given away in marriage by her father, was lovely as she walked down the aisle to the strains of the Bridal Chorus, wearing a floor-length gown of silk organza with very full skirt, lily point sleeves and simple neckline, trimmed with rhinestones and centre rose appliques. Her chapel veil, sprinkled with rhinestones and held in place with a coronet of pearls and brillants. Her jewelery was a necklace of pearls and pearl earrings, a gift of the groom. She carried a white prayerbook with nosegay of red and white flowers and streamers of white ribbon.

The bridesmaids were Miss Carolyn St. Jean, sister of the bride, Miss Annette St. Jacques, sister of the groom and Miss Doris Gauthier, cousin of the bride. They wore identical cocktail-length dresses of aqua silk organza and matching picture hats of net and silk petals, with corsages of coral roses.

The groom was attended by Mr. Leo Magnon, Mr. Cyril Lavique of Beaumont and Mr. Paul Bourassa of Plamondon.

Mrs. Roselie Genaud was organist and during the service the choir sang several hymns appropriate for the occasion. At the offertory Mr. Calix Magnan of Beaumont sang "Panis Angelicus".

The reception for 85 relatives and friends was held in the Plamondon Community Hall.

The bride's mother chose a dress suit of turquoise blue wool with beige accessories. The groom's mother wore a sleeveless dress of beige brocade with matching accessories and their corsages were coral pink roses.

The bride's table was centred with a four-tiered wedding cake. Mr. Philip Plamondon, uncle of the bride, was master of ceremonies. Rev. Fr. Croteau gave a touching speech in French. A toast to the bride was given by Mr. Philip Plamondon and responded to by the groom. The Chevigny brothers supplied the music and several songs were sung. The bride sang a beautiful song in French, Mr. Philip Plamondon and Mr. Nick Hyrnyk sang in Ukrainian and the Chevigny Brothers gave several selections in English.

A dance was held in the hall from 9:00 p.m. until midnight with a capacity crowd present.

Out-of-town guests for the wedding included Mr. and Mrs. Raymond St. Jacques, Grandpa St. Jacques, Mr. and Mrs. Raoul St. Jacques and Mr. and Mrs. Calix Magnan, all of Beaumont; Mr. and Mrs. Armond Bazinette, Miss Murial Steeple, Mr. and Mrs. Urbin Plamondon and Mr. and Mrs. Wilbert Belanger, all of Edmonton; Mr. and Mrs. John St. Jean, also of Edmonton and Mr. and Mrs. Wm. St. Jean of Lac la Biche.

The bride and groom will make their home in Beaumont where the bride will resume her duties teaching until the end of the term.

Mrs. Andre Dupre Honored At Party

LAC LA BICHE MISSION — Mrs. Andre Dupre was recently honored with a surprise birthday party given by relatives and friends in celebration of her 34th birthday.

Among guests from out-of-town were Mr. Parent and family of Wandering River and Mr. and Mrs. Turgeon of Normandeau.

Mrs. Dupre was presented with a number of beautiful gifts and lunch was served.

2 Baseball Games Won By Corvets

LAC LA BICHE — The "Corvets", baseball team of boys 16 and under, have been doing well lately in games played against outside teams.

In a recent game with Grassland, the home boys trounced the visiting team 31-1 in a three-innings game. Last Thursday the boys travelled to Athabasca and came off victors with an 8-1 score.

The coach this year is Howard Lett. The next game was scheduled to be held in Lac la Biche, May 20 when the Corvets challenged the Boyle team—game time 6:30 p.m.

Church Notices

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Sunday, May 22
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BRIEREVILLE
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HYLO
Public Worship — 8:00 p.m.
Minister, Rev. S. L. Munro
Phone 164, Lac la Biche

Hylo

Mr. and Mrs. A. Bourassa and boys motored to Edmonton for Mother's Day to spend the day with their daughter.

Richard Meandi has returned home from Edmonton where he underwent surgery.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Schryner were visiting the latter's mother, Mrs. A. Lozinski, who is a patient in the Lac la Biche hospital.

M. Zalewski is a visitor at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Mike Zalewsky.

Paul Poholski was home last weekend.

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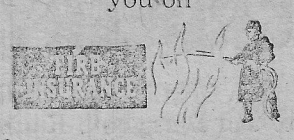
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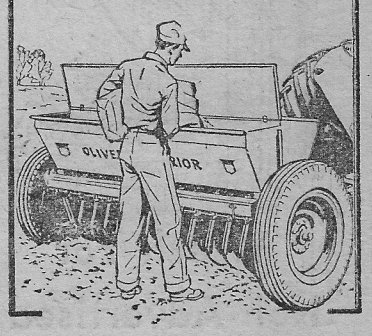
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VALEDICTORIAN ADDRESS

By Lynn Watamanuik

A valedictory address is known traditionally as a farewell address, and at this time we are saying farewell to all that has strengthened and guided us through our school life.

During that time we have been prepared to meet the very different future, where we will no longer be able to lean dependently on parents and teachers. Twelve years ago, when we began school, we were faced with a high hill to climb. By our efforts, with the co-operation of our fellow students and with the guidance and direction of the teachers, we find that we have accomplished that first climb.

Now we alone look apprehensively at the hills ahead. We may find that these hills to us look hopeless and follow the level paths, while others strive for the heights. If we choose the climb it will be a strenuous one, for as we struggle upward we will take upon us the burden of those who stopped, we will set our sights for a higher peak, while others rest.

Having learned that each one of us has to search for his own summit, we know that the hills of our neighbors are not for us. We must continue to strive diligently to achieve our personal goal, but the hills that seem so far away soon appear before us and we will stand victorious on the top.

Some of the class will be entering university and training schools and others will be stepping into their careers. We should remember that in receiving further education we not only prepare ourselves for a chosen vocation but also receive the training which is so necessary in making good democratic citizens, citizens who can learn to live together happily and peacefully in their country.

As we leave High School, we will take with us many fond memories of the past and high hopes for the future. Let us try to select a vocation which will give us much happiness and contentment in life, arising from a feeling of being useful in society.

In saying farewell, I would like to leave with you this quotation: "The world is a looking glass and gives back to every man the reflection of his own face. Frown at it and it in turn will look sourly upon you; laugh at it and with it and it is a jolly, kind companion."

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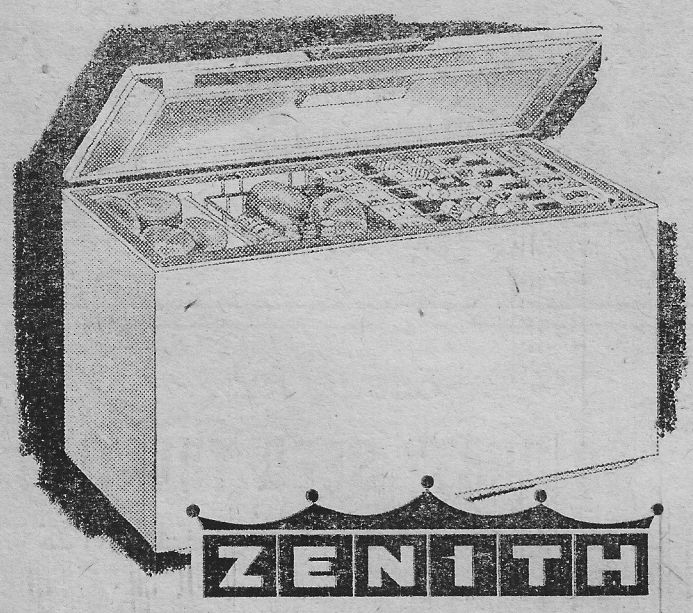

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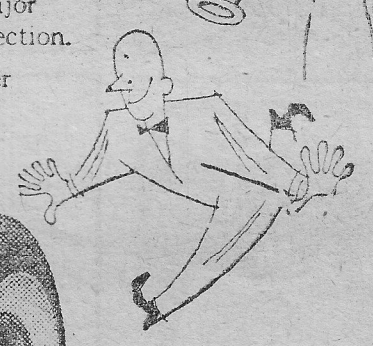

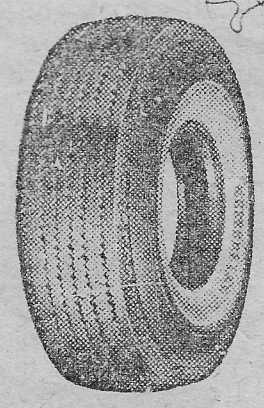

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REPLY TO THE TOAST TO THE TEACHERS

By F. W. McMillan

Mr. Toastmaster, honored guests, graduates, ladies and gentlemen:

I wish to thank Josephine for her kind remarks. The relationship between staff and students is a very important thing in educational endeavors. I am happy that ours has always been very good. We like you, the students, to feel that we are here to co-operate with you, and at the same time, to direct you for your own welfare. We do not want you ever to feel that we are just a necessary evil imposed upon you.

This thought reminds me of a sign in a little Alberta town, which reads "School Zone—Slow own—Don't kill a child." And underneath in scrawly childish letters, "Wait for a teacher."

We play a few jokes on each other during the school year, and have a little fun at each other's expense, just as we will continue to do here tonight. But underneath the humorous episodes, and some that may be slightly annoying to one or the other of us, we have the bond of co-opreation which comes of having an important job to do together.

We wish to extend our thanks to the school board, the superintendent, and the divisional staff for their assistance in this effort which has brought you so close to what may be termed the first major educational goal of your career.

In considering what I might say to you tonight I recalled a portion of a poem which I think very appropriate for this occasion. The words were spoken by Jason, the great hero of Greek mythology, who, with his faithful Argonauts, was returning triumphant from the perilous expedition on which they had captured the Golden Fleece. He was dismayed to see that, now that they were almost home with the prize, his mariners were flagging in their efforts and beginning to show an unusual indifference about carrying the project through to the end. These are the words he spoke to urge them on:

"A little more, a little more,
Oh, carriers of the Golden Fleece;
A little labor with the oar
Before we reach the land of Greece.

E'en now, perchance, faint rumors reach
Men's ears of this, our victory,
And draw them down unto the beach,
To gaze across the empty sea.

But since the longed-for day is nigh,
And scarce a god could stay us now—
Why do ye hang your heads and sigh,
And still go slower, and more slow?"

Now that your first goal is almost won, do not be like the mariners and lag in your efforts. For you the "golden fleece" is the diploma which you hope to bring home after another few weeks of striving. The higher your standing, the more precious this reward will be. I urge you, now that "the longed-for day is nigh," not to slacken in your effort, but to continue with the greatest strength and will that you can muster until each of you returns with the prize.

Rich Lake

The regular meeting of the Rich Lake Ladies Aid was held at the home of Hazel Kumpula with eight members and two guests. Material was given out to be sewed up for the annual bazaar. The June meeting will be held at Astrid Kumpula's home.

Sympathy of the district is extended to the John Waine family on the loss of a husband and father.

Atmore

Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Tucker of Edmonton visited the Ross Tucker family here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. James Heartherington motored home to Valleyview after spending a few days with his family here.

Mrs. William Heatherington made a business trip to Valleyview last week.

Marvin Kanzig is home again after seeking employment for several months.

The graduation banquet was held in the Plamondon Gymnasium May 10. Fifty guests were present to see the five Grade 12 students, including Alvin Dakin of this district, graduate.

Many people from the community attended the show "Between Heaven and Hell" held in the Grassland Community Hall recently.

Many local persons attended the show "Court Jennifer" held in the Atmore community hall May 5. A show is held in the hall here every Thursday evening.

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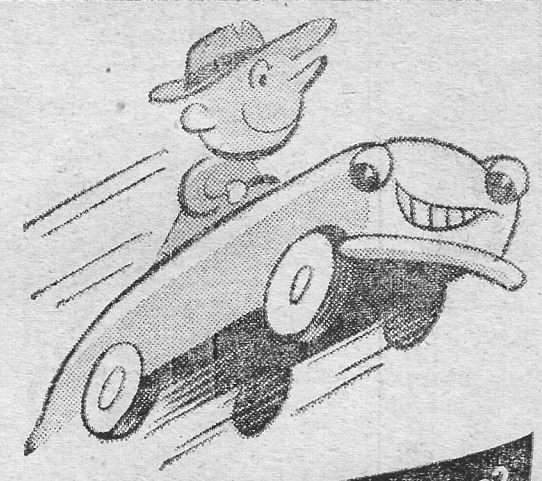

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Toast To The Parents

By Clara Munawich

Mr. Toastmaster, honored guests, parents, and fellow graduates: I am very glad to have this opportunity to propose a toast to the parents.

Our parents who have made graduation possible. They knew beforehand the need for education in our lives and readied us for our future.

They have made us aware of the values of education, they have helped with our homework, and they have urged us to continue with our schooling. Needless to say, in addition to all this help they have made sacrifices to enable us to continue our education.

Without the help of our parents, all we have achieved would have been impossible. Tonight we all realize how indebted we are to them; so as a token of our appreciation let us rise and drink a toast to the parents.

Reply To Toast To Parents

By Mrs. Watamaniuk

Mr. Toastmaster, Honored Guests, Graduates, Ladies and Gentlemen:

When the phone rang and I was asked to reply to the toast to the parents, I was in a panic. Not being accustomed to making speeches, I asked my friends what to say. They said, "Oh there is nothing to it." Right now I am not so sure.

When you talk of being a parent it sounds like just another word, but actually there is little difference between a good parent and a good businessman. They both have to have knowledge, good management, and carry responsibilities to gain success.

We have to learn to live with our children, not for them. Families are the happiest and most secure when working together.

Only by helping our children and guiding them to better uses of their energies can a parent gain their love and respect. When we look at all the proud parents and graduates here tonight, it proves our wish is being fulfilled.

Your graduation day is a memorable occasion. It marks the end of one chapter in your life, and forces you to make the important decision of your future.

Whatever vocation you choose, aim high and work hard.

Remember your education is the key to your future success.

Toast To The Teachers

By Josephine Fornari

Mr. Toastmaster, honored guests, parents, fellow graduates, ladies and gentlemen. I would like to propose a toast to the teachers, mainly the high school staff, comprising Mrs. Hayduk, Mrs. Cunningham, Mr. McMillan, Mr. Senetza, and Mr. Chodan. Nevertheless, I do not want to neglect the teachers of the elementary grades as they taught us the fundamentals and even today watch our progress with interest.

Therefore, on behalf of the graduates here this evening I would like to express our sincere appreciation for their unceasing efforts, for their guidance in our continued schooling, for those many, many hours spent checking our exercises and tests, which at times seemed useless, or should I say hopeless, and for the time spent guiding our youthful minds from going astray. I know we may have caused some of the teachers headaches over us, but we hope that this will be over when we have received our results. Let us hope the staff can turn to one another and say with satisfaction, "This year has not been in vain."

Venice

Mr. and Mrs. Burt Nordin from Edmonton were here to attend the graduation of their nephew James Rowland.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Desjarlais and daughter, Monica from St. Albert were visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Biollo.

Mrs. Erminia Macor was a patient in the Lac la Biche hospital.

Mrs. Irma Giacobbo accompanied by Mrs. S. Fornari attended the wedding of her niece, Miss Delphina Giacobbo in Edmonton.

Toast To The Graduates

By Marjorie Smolarchuk

Before I propose a toast to the graduates, I would like to say a few words about them. I have had the opportunity to attend school with them in Grades 11 and 12 and have got to know their little quirks and idiosyncrasies as well as their commendable traits, but unfortunately I have not been able to graduate with them.

This group of graduates is earnest and intelligent as well as mischievious and often frivolus, each of whom is working in his assigned role in life and striving to attain a desirable goal.

I hope that each and everyone of you is able to truly graduate by obtaining your high school diploma in August. By doing so you will have reached the highest standing in education that may be given in any Alberta High School. I hope that you will not be satisfied by this accomplishment, but that you will strive for further education in colleges and universities, for in our country there are many fields of work for those who will take the time and trouble to prepare themselves.

Now on behalf of the Student Body, myself and everyone here this evening, I wish to drink a toast to a bright and prosperous future to all these graduates honored here this evening. Now let us drink a toast to the graduates.

Life has come to a sorry pass when a man has to lie to compliment anybody.

Helina

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Suhan and David were recent guests at the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Suhan.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Whelen and family and Joe Strothers attended the rodeo of champions in Edmonton on May 7.

Andrew Onciul made a business trip to Edmonton recently.

Bertha Suhan is a patient in the St. Catherines Hospital in Lac la Biche.

Sympathy of the district is extended to Mrs. Sophie Waine on the passing away of John Waine on May 9.

James Carruthers was a visitor at the Jim Prince home recently.

Caslan

Mrs. A. Salamko of Edmonton is spending a time at her farm in this district.

Miss Nancy Krawchuk of Edmonton was visiting relatives here.

Victor Strembitski was the guest of honor one evening recently when his pupils in the senior room at the Caslan school gathered together to help him celebrate his birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Henson and family and Mr. and Mrs. Berton Henson motored from Edmonton and spent the weekend at the home of their parents.

Nick Cherniwchan is working on the section here.

Mr. and Mrs. John Reid and family have moved from this district to where he is employed.

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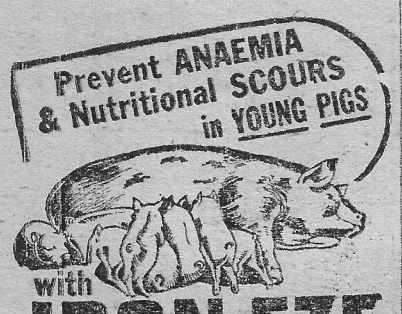
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Vegreville WI Plans Scholarships For Students In Various Schools

The May business meeting of the Vegreville WI was held at the home of the president, Dora Holloway. Mrs. A. Slorach, welfare convener requested clothing for a couple of local and large families in need.

On May 24, Anna Slorach, Dora Holloway, Marguerite McCarty and Annie Pearce will go to the Red Cross rooms and quilt.

May 28 has been granted by the town of Vegreville to the WI as their annual tag day. Schedule is as follows: 8-10 a.m., Mrs. Anna Farrell and Mrs. Dora Holloway will tag; 9-11 a.m., Susie Smith and Minnie Gafka; 10 a.m. to 12 p.m., Myrtle Tebbutt, Dorothy Gorsline and Jenny Austin; 3-5 p.m., Marguerite McCarty and Renetta Scheider; 2-4 p.m., Belle Olyan and Violet Tillapaugh; 4-6 p.m., Annie Pearce, Marjorie Hughes and Leona Bolan.

In regard to the Grade 9 scholarship for the separate school, a motion was made by Mrs. M. McCarty that the group give one for mathematics to this grade. Mrs. A. Farrell seconded this motion and all were in favor. The one given for Grade 12 in the Separate School will go for general proficiency, and for science in Grade 12, Vegreville High School. The two for Grade 9 Junior High School will go for health and personal development.

Mrs. C. Schneider, who has again taken over as handicraft convener, discussed entries for the June constituency conference which is to be held by Rosemary and Lavoy WI's at Lavoy this year. Members willingly volunteered to help out on this latter project.

The WI birthday party plans were talked over. There will be two doorprizes, one given by Anne Chilibeck and the other by the WI Riverside WI and Mrs. R. Whitson have accepted the invitation extended to them to attend the party. Mrs. D. Gorsline will purchase ribbon and necessities for tag day.

Minnie Gafka made a motion to buy new cups and saucers; this was seconded by Violet Tillapaugh and all were in favor of it. Prizes will be bought for contests on the program. Correspondence was read.

Lunch-list Convenor Dorothy Gorsline requested food donations from the members.

A social time followed at the close of the meeting and lunch was served by the hostess, assisted by Myrtle Tebbutt, Violet Tillapaugh and Marguerite McCarty.

A. Spevakow Heads Innisfree Golf Club

INNISFREE — At the annual meeting of the Innisfree Golf Club recently held, A. Spevakow was elected president and A. Saik, secretary. Fees are: single, $7.50; family, $10; students, $3.50. Out of district: single, $10; family, $15.

Scout Gordie Facey To Attend Jamboree

VEGREVILLE — Scout Gordie Facey has been chosen to go to the fifth American Jamboree at Colorado Springs, Cal., July 22 to 28. He will be one of 41 Albertans, who will be members of the Canadian contingent of 488, who have been invited by the Americans. They will be celebrating the 50th anniversary of Scouting in the United States.

Gordie Facey is in Grade 9 at the Vegreville High School. He has attended two jamborees before at Banff and the 1959 World Jamboree in the Philippines. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. B. Facey of Vegreville.

Specialty Shop To Have Larger Home

REDWATER — Once again Redwater is undergoing change and improvement. The old and familiar building that has housed the Specialty Shop for the past nine years is being torn down to make way for a new and larger building in which the Specialty Shop will again operate.

The library is now going ahead. The foundation has been completed and is ready for construction of the building proper. There are also several private homes under construction within the town's residential districts.

Home & School View Pictures Of Europe

REDWATER—At the May meeting of the Home and School Association Mrs. R. Chalmers and Mrs. L. McClennon were appointed representatives to attend the provincial Home and School convention at Lethbridge June 7 to 10.

The Home and School voted additional playground equipment. To date three ball diamond backstops have been erected.

The program for the evening consisted of slides taken by Stan Verbiski during his tour of Europe in 1959. These included pictures of Holland, Italy, Germany, France, and Switzerland.

Neighbors Unable To Keep Blaze From Spreading Through Barn Yard

By John Sawka

A Thorhild district farmer suffered an estimated $4,000 loss when flames swept through part of his farm yard.

John Prymych, five miles south and one mile west of Thorhild village, lost three granaries, a barn, 12,000 feet of lumber, approximately 500 bushels of seed grain, 1,400 pounds of grass seed, four tons of hay; several pigs, numerous work tools, and some barley in swaths.

It is believed that a grass fire spread to a stubble field and then to the barnyard. Neighbors rushed to the farmyard to try to put out the blaze but couldn't stop the fire from spreading.

Most of a 62-acre field of barley which was burning was saved by a neighbor, Mr. Lamoureux, who stopped the fire by tilling around the field.

Doctors Buy Church For Health Centre

VEGREVILLE — Work has commenced on the new Anglican church, situated across from the A. L. Horton Jr. High School. The old Anglican church has been bought by three local doctors for a medical health centre.

Construction was begun by the Inter-Urban Development Co. on the 10 new low-cost 2 and 3 bedroom homes they are building in the north end of town, directly south of the old Dr. Goodwin residence.

A permit of $10,000 value has been taken out by the McLeod, Ltd., who will build a store.

Hansons Entertain Prior To Departure

VILNA — Mr. and Mrs. J. Hanson recently served a supper to some of their close friends and neighbors as they will shortly leave the district to make their home in Bellis.

An evening of games was enjoyed by the guests, highlighted with supper.

W. B. Mix Elected Head Of Gideons

VERMILION — The Gideons, Vermilion - Lloydminster Camp, held their annual meeting in Vermilion May 6, the following officers being elected for the coming year 1960-61: past-president, Hartley Sorenson; president, William B. Mix; vice-president, Ken Isley; secretary-treasurer, Ernie Clendenning; chaplain, Ernie Schurman; memorial Bible representatives, Ernie Schurman, Vermilion; William Stefanyk, Mannville; George Baynton, Lloydminster; Dick Swanson, Marwayne.

The local camp has had another successful year in being able to present many hundreds of copies of the Bible and New Testament to the schools of Vermilion, Lloydminster and Vegreville school divisions. During the year they also sponsored the formation of new camps at St. Paul and Wainwright.

The members would like to take this opportunity to thank local churches and the general public for the fine support they have received throughout the years.

Out-of-town members attending the meeting were William Stefanyk, Mannville; R. A. Swanson, Marwayne and Dick Friesen, Streamstown.

Edmonton Residents Attend Graduation

MINBURN — Mr. and Mrs. Earl French, Louise, Elaine and Roberta motored from Edmonton last week to attend the graduation in Innisfree of their niece Miss Betty McColl.

Afterwards they spent the weekend at Atkinson and in Minburn renewing acquaintances.

Vilna Students Visit Edmonton

The Grade 10 class of the Vilna high school made a recent trip to Edmonton recently. They travelled in the school bus driven by Mike Doshewnek and were accompanied by two teachers, Mr. Lobay and Mr. Ostapiw.

This was an educational trip. The group visited the legislative buildings, the park and the TV station.

Big businesses grow slowly and collapse fast.

TIPS FOR PARENTS

By HELEN R. HEWSON
Parent Education Associates

"OUR 12-year-old son is having difficulty at school. I have done everything I can think of to help him at home. I have talked to his teacher and find that when there is trouble in the classroom our boy is in the midst of it.

"He always has an excuse for not doing his homework, often tells me he hasn't any, is very penitent when his report card comes home and works hard for two or three days.

"He is certainly going to fail this year if he doesn't settle down and concentrate. What can we do to help him?"

There are wide variations in growth and development at the pre-teen level. School life is an important part, but only a part of the whole picture.

Family attitudes to his general behavior, his friends and interests, all influence his development.

Twelve can be very much like Leacock's hero who mounted his horse and rode off in all directions. His interests and enthusiasms are many but often shallow.

He needs help and some firmness to settle down to the important ones. Arrange a definite time and place for his homework, and a rule or two, such as no TV until the homework is finished.

Most children in this age group feel a desperate need to be admired and accepted by their own age mates. His behavior in school may be part of his effort to be a "good fellow."

He needs out-of-school games and sports. Cubs, Scouts, Y groups, etc., and neighborhood play provide the outlets that he now seems to be seeking in the classroom.

Hobbies, special interests, a spending allowance, household chores, all have a part in helping these children to develop a sense of purpose and direction.

They are very much in need of the help and guidance of their parents, but it should be on the basis of talking things over with them, rather than talking to them.

They need some freedom of action and decision within limits agreed upon by parents and child; they need help in planning the weekly time-table and some supervision in carrying it out.

Mannville School Students Conduct Successful Refugee Fund Campaign

The Junior Red Cross groups of the Mannville school thanked all the pupils, parents and teachers who helped to make the Refugee Fund campaign so successful. This school effort is an example of the results of co-operation among children of all ages and grades.

The Junior Red Cross members of Mrs. Lugg's room gave brief talks in all rooms explaining the reasons why people are in Refugee camps, and why money is needed so desperately. The idea of self-denial was stressed; instead of buying a bar or soft drink, the dime might be given to the Refugees. A film, "Exposure", was shown at the April home and school meeting and also at the school. This film clearly illustrated the plight of the refugees.

On May 3 the Juniors of Mrs Gamble's room collected the money in the elementary school, while the Juniors from Mrs. Lugg's room collected in the junior and high school.

The sum of $48.45 was sent to the Junior Red Cross director at Calgary. The objective for Alberta is $15,000, so Mannville school should be happy for having contributed such a comparatively large amount.

Lindsay Elected President Vilna Chamber Of Commerce

The Vilna Chamber of Commerce held its annual meeting recently in the United Church club room with the supper catered by the United Church ladies, and with a large number of persons present.

The new executive is as follows: president, R. Lindsay; vice-president, M. Shysh; secretary, Fred Fowler.

The correspondence, which concerned the highways, was read. The secretary was instructed to write letters to the department of highways concerning the second Trans-Canada Highway and the Lac la Biche highway.

Reports on the telephones and the Red Cross drive were presented.

It was brought to attention that spring is here and the village must be cleaned to give a neater appearance for the tourist's inspection.

The members discussed the Vilna Cadets as there is no qualified instructor. They decided to drop the responsibility of being the sponsoring body of the Cadets.

Evansburg Couple Visit Sun Newspaper, TV, Game Farm

An Evansburg couple were treated royally during a visit to Edmonton last week. Honored were Mr. and Mrs. C. Taylor. Mr. Taylor's king-size trout last year won the Alberta Country Life fishing contest for northern Alberta and top prize in another sponsored by a Canadian outdoors magazine.

The Taylors started their tour at the Sun Publishing Co. Ltd.'s plant where they were able to see the presses that print the Edmonton Sun, Pembina Herald and 19 other weeklies in operation. Their host was Managing Editor Ken Larson who photographed them with Slim Layley for the Alberta Country Life section.

Mr. Layley, outdoors editor for Country Life, guided them on the interesting visit to Edmonton, including a visit to the Alberta Game Farm. Mrs. Oeming did the honors as her husband was away at the time.

Here the Taylors met another old acquaintance and namesake, Highways Minister Gordon Taylor who was also there with his wife and a party of friends. Unfortunately shortage of time permitted the Taylors to see only about half of the game farm, but it was enough to whet their appetites for more, and they are planning another visit when they will be able to spend a whole day there. Mrs. Taylor's camera clicked unceasingly.

Back in town the party was taken to the CFRN studio where they were met by Alberta's director of wildlife, Curt Smith, and Norman Lee of the Edmonton Fish and Game Association. The party were introduced to sportcaster Al Shaver who immediately whisked Mr. Taylor away, put him in front of the TV cameras and introduced him to the Edmonton viewers.

After the TV appearance the whole party was the guests of the Edmonton FGA at a steak supper at the Aquarium Restaurant. It had to be the Aquarium because Mrs. Taylor refused to forego the opportunity to see her husband eating steak while surrounded by live fish.

After sampling the fine cuisine in the beautifully decorated dining room the party relaxed to the music of Gaby Haas' orchestra.

Mr. Taylor, now retired, concentrates on fishing and big game hunting, and is secretary-treasurer of his local Fish and Game Association. Mrs. Taylor, also an experienced hunter now hunts her game with a camera instead of a rifle. She is also an accomplished taxidermist.

Watkins Dealer Appointed At Gourin

GOURIN—Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Wolf at Gourin have recently been appointed Watkins dealers. The couple now run a small store and serve as postmasters for 24 families in the district. They have been at the location for the past six months.

The store is now ready to serve its customers with spices, nectars, extracts, syrups, May King toilet articles and various other lotions and articles.

Little Gerald Wolf, age five, tries to help his parents in the new venture.

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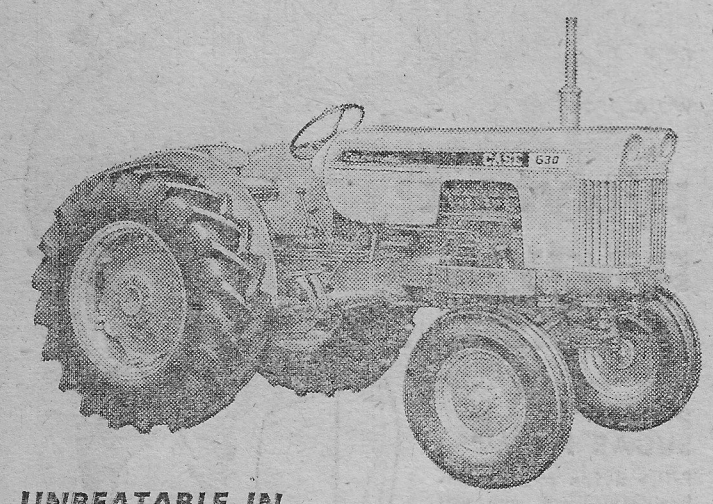

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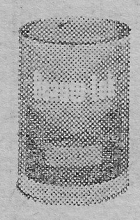
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THE Homemaker

By BERTHA M. McCUTCHEON

From the editor of the CAC Bulletin comes a few hints on Safety in the Home.

Housecleaning time is just around the corner. Read the labels on the containers of cleaning fluids, polishes, bleaches and other household products and use them with the caution suggested by manufacturers. Many cleaning fluids and polishes are inflammable, but fire is not the only hazard.

B. McCutcheon

Fumes from cleaning fluids can poison as well as ignite, so wide open windows are the safe rule when dry cleaning or removing spots.

Housecleaning time may be a time of particular hazard to small children in the eighteen months to five years bracket, the most frequent victims of accidental poisoning. Besides the medicines, headache tablets, salves and liniments which are recognized dangers to children, our homes are full of potential poisoners for curious toddlers.

It is difficult for an adult to believe that children will eat or drink bleaches, solvents, detergents, lye, disinfectants, deodorants, waxes, polishes, paints, varnishes, thinners, turpentine, brush cleaners, paint removers, fly sprays, weed killers. Doctors in poison control centres in two large Canadian cities state "Children will eat or drink anything that is not nailed down."

Poison control centres have been established in cities across Canada where lists of household products with their contents and antidotes are indexed. Doctors are on duty 24 hours a day, but prevention is better than antidote.

The Canadian Association of Consumers offers this advice for homes with children:

1. Store with care all potentially dangerous substances. This means locked cabinets for medicines; locked storage in the basement, garage and workshop; high shelves for cleaning fluids, polishes, bleaches, etc.

2. Place handbags, including visitors' handbags, well out of reach. They often contain medication.

3. When housecleaning, place all the cleaning agents in one basket and carry it about with you as you move about the house. Be sure to carry it to the telephone when you answer it.

4. Warn children of the danger of the cleansers you use.

5. Never transfer harmful substances to cups, milk bottles, pop bottles or other food containers.

Spruce Valley

Recent visitors in the district were: Mr. and Mrs. Mike Zuber of Boyle; Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ryl and family of Edmonton; and Mr. and Mrs. B. Zilinski and family of Athabasca.

A large number of local residents attended the auction sale held on the farm of Mrs. Mary Stefiuk on May 7. Mr. Prodaniuk of Redwater was auctioneer.

Recent guests of Mrs. Mary Stefiuk were her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Stefiuk of Edmonton; her sister-in-law and Mr. and Mrs. Boyko of Vilna.

Local residents had their power turned off for five hours on Sunday, May 8.

Recent visitors to Edmonton were Mrs. Jean Kochan, Nick Zilinski and Mr. and Mrs. Koltowski.

Eugene Strumilak returned from Edmonton last week driving a 1957 ivory and coral Dodge sedan.

Peter Homeniuk and Stan Kanarek were recent visitors to Athabasca.

The following are the dates for the Clothing Club Achievement Days in the northern part of my district:

Thursday, May 19, Colinton.
Tuesday, May 24, Wandering River.
Wednesday, May 25, Plamondon.
Friday, May 27, Grassland.
Tuesday, May 31, Amber Valley.

The club rally will be held on Saturday, June 4 at the Grassland school.

Bayview

Mr. and Mrs. C. Roscvich have moved into the new home which they purchased from Edward Plamondon.

Mrs. Estelle Varin is a patient in Lac la Biche Hospital.

Visitors to this district last weekend were Miss Diana Mischuk and K. Norminton of Calgary.

Miss Albertine Plamondon and Miss Emilie Dube made a recent trip to Morinville.

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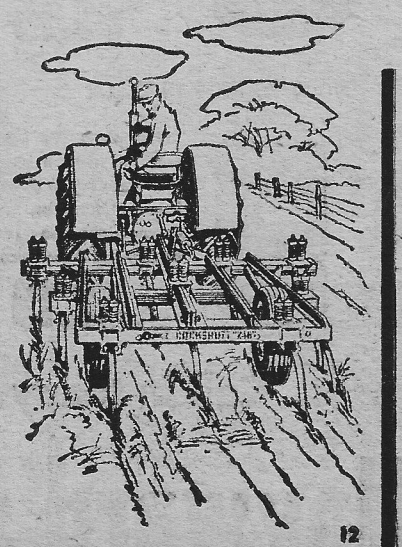

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The Three Faces Of Eve

Chapter 13

By Corbett H. Thigpen, M.D., and Hervey M. Cleckley, M.D.

Some months after the separation Ralph White had become distinctly attentive to his wife, coming often to see her on weekends and urging her to return to him.

She had left him with the understanding that she was to live alone until she recovered or at least had improved sufficiently to make with confidence the decision to renew their relations. Until then they were not to live as man and wife.

Ralph's attempts during this period to woo his wife back and to put pressure on her to rejoin him proved upsetting. Her stress and perplexity mounted until it became necessary for the therapist to intervene and re-emphasize to Ralph White the terms of his agreement.

After a long period of apparent indifference, interrupted by occasional contacts that ended in setbacks for Eve White and in distress and misunderstanding for them both, he was now showing renewed interest in his estranged wife.

Jane, who maintained an impersonal attitude toward Ralph spoke more freely than Eve White did about the situation. It was her opinion that the wife's attachment to her husband had steadily declined, that, without clearly realizing it or freely admitting it to herself, she was increasingly affected by a deep dread and repugnance at the prospect of returning to him. She tried to tell herself, according to Jane, that this reaction, or as much of it as she would recognize, must be a feature of her illness, something she could hope might eventually subside.

URGED A TRIP

Now, after almost a year of separation, Ralph came to the city apparently determined to take more positive steps. Telling his wife that he was unable to see that she had made any progress, or that they had made any progress, he strongly urged her to give up her present plans and return with him to Jacksonville, Florida. He was now employed there temporarily. If they could be together for a while, perhaps improvement would begin. Maybe they could soon take Bonnie back to live with them.

Eve White firmly and repeatedly declined. He then asked her to go away with him for the weekend, so they could spend a few days together and see if she might find their relationship better than she remembered their life in the past. She continued to shake her head.

Finally he became angry and a serious quarrel broke out. After expressing his vexation frankly and making remarks that led his wife to fear he might be planning legal steps to gain custody of Bonnie, he returned sadly to his room at the hotel.

Sitting there in disappointment, remorse, and intense frustration, he took a highball hoping that this might afford some relief. After perhaps an hour of morose meditation, he decided to pack his bag and be off.

DIDN'T DECEIVE HIM

At the knock on his door he swore inaudibly. He got up and opened it. There he beheld, with astonished eyes, the woman whom he had so recently left in bitterness and sorrow.

Or was it his wife? Eve for a moment tried to pretend that this was so, saying she had thought the matter over and changed her mind. Though she had practiced such impersonation of her alternate before, Eve Black did not deceive Ralph. He made this known to her at once.

"All right," she said, "so what of it? She don't want to go with you, but maybe I do. She don't like you. But . . . well, I'm beginning to think you're right cute."

She came nearer and took him by the hand. Eve Black had always confronted Ralph with scorn and derision. Her glance had flared with open hostility. She had regularly denounced and mocked him in scurrilous abuse. He had never before been personally aware of the good-natured friendliness and gaiety that she so freely dispensed to others.

EVE BLACK found no pleasure in the trip to Jacksonville with her husband Ralph White, only a good deal of petty annoyance.—Illustration from the 20th Century-Fox motion picture "The Three Faces of Eve."

INVITING EYES

The provocative and inviting eyes that turned upon him now, apparently with warmth and excitement, must have stirred his feelings.

This new and sudden interest in him she now seemed to show could, of course, be fraudulent. What unpleasant designs might she now have in mind? Could a great and lasting change occur in any such fashion as this?

Yet she had come to him after the quarrel; and she seemed ready to go with him to Jacksonville for the weekend. Even if no permanent improvement had come about, would it not be wise for them to try being together for a weekend? That was precisely what he had attempted to persuade his wife to do hardly more than an hour ago.

The amazing differences between this girl and the unhappy, frigid woman he had known as his wife must have made it impossible for him not to feel, however illogically, that the intimate relations she offered might constitute an act of marital infidelity.

But he reminded himself that he was married to this woman and that, for the first time in so long, perhaps for the first time ever, she welcomed him fully and cordially as a mate?

AN ELUSIVE ROLE

Ralph soon found himself urging and coaxing Eve Black to go with him to Jacksonville. Flashily seductive, apparently surrendering, then coyly withdrawing, she played with gusto the elusive role of the nymph pursued.

The event must be gala; there should be a celebration. He spoke of a corsage. She pointed out that she had at hand only the dress she wore. Why then, he would forthwith buy clothes.

A week later in the physician's office Eve Black denied as emphatically as ever that Ralph was her husband. Not with regret, but with pride she said she had found in the physical intimacy with him no pleasure but a good deal of petty annoyance.

After the new dress, the hat, the shoes, and the handbag had been purchased in Jacksonville, she took few pains to conceal this from Ralph.

Even after she began to express her distaste for him in vituperative language ,he still endeavored for a while to win back in her the attitude she had shown when, for the first time, she had offered some promise and semblance of response to him. It was difficult for him to realize that this glowing simulation had been pure fraud.

"I GOT THE DRESS"

When efforts were exerted to make Eve Black consider the wisdom and ethics of her behavior in this episode, her eyes danced with mischief.

"I got the dress I wanted, didn't I?" she snapped triumphantly, dismissing all other aspects of the matter as irrelevant.

Eve White, after several days of complete subjugation, during which she remained invisible or absent, had finally regained contact and control in Jacksonville. In these strange surroundings, with no clue to the circumstances until Ralph returned to the apartment, she was numb and helpless with fear.

After learning from him enough of the story to orient herself, she found a coldness in herself toward her husband for which she had no words. In a despair more complete than any she had until now experienced, Eve White took the first available train out of Jacksonville and returned alone.

Not long after the events just mentioned, Eve White made the decision to obtain a divorce from her husband. All doubt and vacillation seemed to have left her. She no longer felt any need to consider the matter further and without delay consulted her attorney.

COMPLEX FEELINGS

On learning that her husband had taken Eve Black to Jacksonville and spent the weekend with her, she knew that she would never go back to him, whether or not she eventually recovered from her illness.

Her reactions indicated something even more complex than the hurt of a faithfully conventional wife who finds that her husband has spent the night with another woman who regarded him and the whole affair as a triviality. They reflected also deep horror in the awareness that her own person had, without her will or knowledge, been used in this peculiarly treacherous transaction.

Jane told us that she did not feel it would be right for her to exert any influence or take any responsibility in Eve White's decision. In her opinion, as a sympathetic bystander, the other woman had already made up her mind and probably could not be dissuaded.

Eve Black was delighted with the decision but her reactions showed that she was very little concerned personally. She was pleased as one can be pleased about a relatively trivial matter.

"If she had good sense, and wasn't so finicky she'd have got rid of the sorry lout years ago," was one of her comments.

NEXT WEEK—Jane falls in love and is bothered by horrible dreams.

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Guy For Every Gal Over 21, Census Reveals

Looks as though there's a girl for every guy in Edmonton. And it doesn't matter which side of the river you live on. That makes competition keen, doesn't it?

City Assessor R. A. Reid commenting on the census report just released that Greater Edmonton's population has risen to 327,151, an increase of 24,151 in 12 months, said that there are 168,250 living on the north side and 101,064 on the south side.

There are 52,241 males and 51,881 females over 21 living north of the river, while on the south side the figures are 29,000 for males and 29,401 for females. In the newly-annexed area southwest of the city there are 736 inhabitants, according to Mr. Reid.

Last year, the estimated population for the city and its satellites was 303,000. In the last 12 months, the sharpest rate of increase was shown by Jasper Place, whose population now is 27,414, up 3,992 over 1959. The town's increase last year was 3,439.

Edmonton's increase is slightly below that recorded a year ago, according to City Assessor R. A. Reid. The city's population rose 8,602 in that year, for a gain of 3.41 per cent.

Mr. Reid said the city's higher population is almost entirely accounted for by natural increase, the margin of births over deaths. Newcomers are finding it difficult to settle in the city proper, he said, because of a lack of serviced land for housing. Thus, areas surrounding Edmonton are absorbing much of the overall increase.

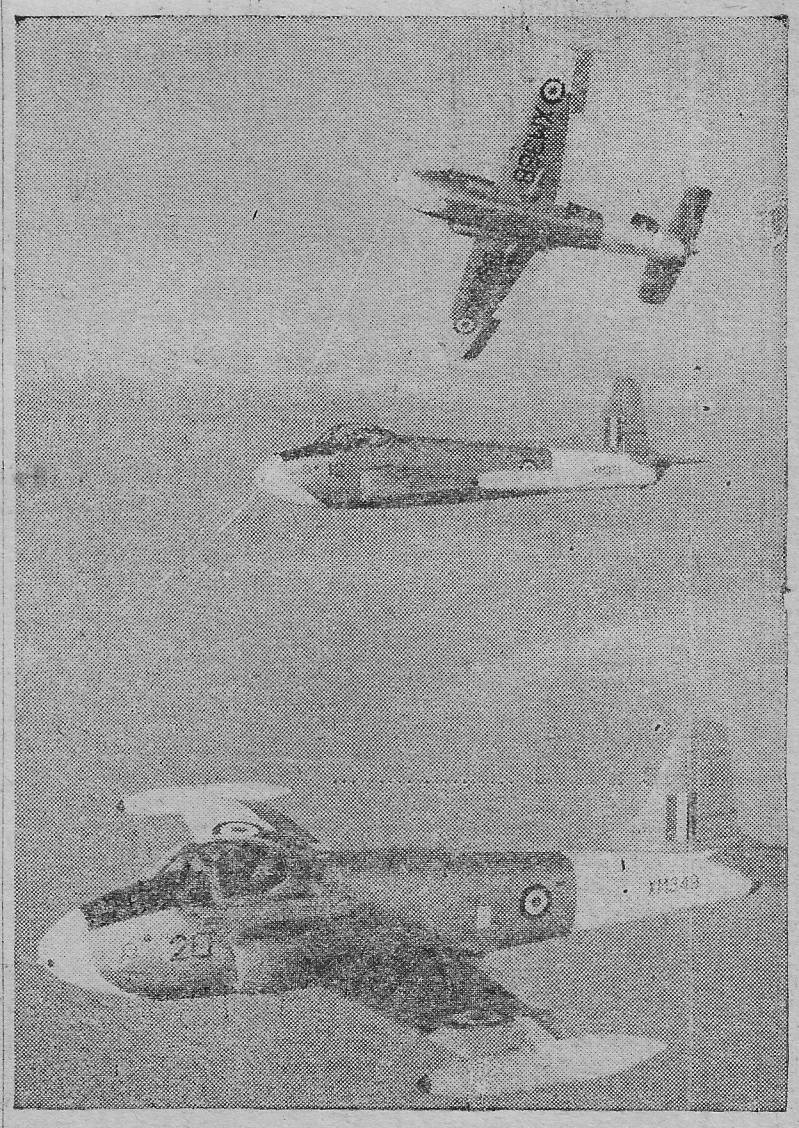
In addition to Jasper Place, Beverly showed a sharp population gain. Its count rose to 9,095 from 8,197 in 1959. St. Albert showed a similar increase ,giving a 1960 figure of 3,068 compared with last year's 2,201. St. Albert's 1958 total was 1,533; in 1957 it was 1,429, and in 1956, 1,329.

Other metropolitan population totals are: Griesbach and Namao areas, 4,060; Lancaster Park, 2,200; Sherwood Park, 5,000; Municipal District of Strathcona, 12,000 (estimated, including Sherwood Park).

Calls For Public Hearings On Finance

Edmonton School Board member Mrs. Edith Rogers has called on the Board's Finance Committee to hold all its meetings in public. Mrs. Rogers made the request at a school board meeting and will introduce a motion to this effect at the next regular meeting.

Too often habits make men instead of men making habits.



THE FIRST British Air Force pupil pilots to learn flying in jet aircraft instead of in piston-engined ones under normal training are using these new jet Provost 3 aircraft, pictured in flight over Nottinghamshire, England. They are from Number Two Flying Training School at Syerston, Notts, where the first course is now in progress. When the pupils graduate in June this year they will have completed about 120 jet flying hours and will then go on to the advanced training unit on Vampire jets, where they will get their wings after a further 120 hours, before being posted to the various Royal Air Force commands.

OK Motors Celebrate 5th Birthday, Appointment To Ford Tractor Agency

LAC LA BICHE — To celebrate their fifth anniversary and also to mark the occasion of their being appointed agents for the Ford Tractor, O.K. Motors held a grand opening and anniversary in the Memorial Hall.

Six hundred people came to see a film showing of Henry Ford's early life and start in the motor car industry. Special films of the Ford Tractor were shown. Coffee and doughnuts were served during the afternoon.

Louis Turgeon's orchestra provided entertainment at the hall in the afternoon, moving to the garage during the early evening and back to the hall for a well attended dance later in the evening. Twenty Ford units paraded through the town during the celebrations, affording the people an excellent opportunity to view the line of modern equipment.

John Konowalchuk of Lac la Biche and Mrs. Dechene of St. Lina were winners of door prizes. Several consolaton prizes were also given. Special visitors for the occasion were: Jack Robinson of Edmonton, representing Fairbanks-Morse Ltd., Bob Meadows of the Ford Monarch division, and Dan Manulak of the Ford Tractor division.

O.K. Motors' rapidly expanding, modern plant is well situated on Alberta Avenue, which is the town's main street, and has kept pace with the town as it continues year by year. The addition of the Ford Tractor to the business is considered a big step in the growth of an enterprise which symbolizes the progressive spirit of the town and district.

The following is a list of management and staff of O.K. Motors, Ltd.: president and manager, Mike Fedorow; bookkeeper, Mrs. Ruth Fedorow; salesman; Albert Stradichuk; shop foreman, Joe Lemay; mechanic; John Brezinski, apprentice mechanic; Robert Rizzoli, front end men, Lucien Lebas and Raymond Ewaskiw.

Gourin

Louis Ulliac spent a few days at the home of Mrs. Lucien Charest at Normandeau.

Edmond Bourassa is home after spending a couple of weeks in hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Ulliac and Mrs. F. Favennec motored to Edmonton to visit her daughter Annette in the Aberhart Memorial Hospital.

Armand Favennec is home after having spent several weeks in a city hospital.

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Advise Germination Tests Before You Plant Damp Grain

Because of damp grain resulting from last fall's harvesting conditions, Alberta's Field Crops Supervisor O. G. Bratvold, urges all farmers to conduct their own germination tests prior to seeding this spring.

Since dampness in grain often induces dormancy, a false germination test can result if the seed to be tested at the laboratory dries out en route. Under these circumstances the sample is not truly representative of the grain in the bin and the farmer can be misled into believing that his grain will grow. Another difficulty encountered with damp grain is that the germination percentage will often deteriorate in storage. A germination test conducted in January or February, although accurate at the time, is not necessarily a reliable guide to the percentage of germination in May.

To conduct your own germination test, simply plant a representative sample of seed in clean moist soil, sand or vermiculite and keep it at room temperature, says Mr. Bratvold. After a week to 10 days count the percentage of germination.

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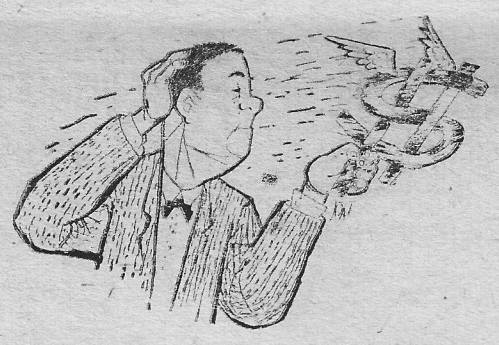
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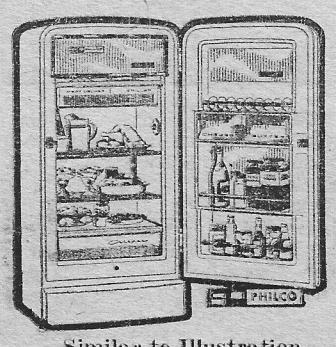

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